

## NEIGHBORHOOD RESOURCES

This list is not intended to be inclusive of all possible resources in the city, but a representation of emergency and other services in Rogers Park that might be difficult to find otherwise. It was first developed by Tessa Volini at United Church of Rogers Park and augmented by members of RPPC's ad-hoc committee present at a March 2007 meeting--Eileen Richmond (Chair), Bessie Smith, Franklin Rhodes and Lisa Griffith, who completed this version. Asterisks denote services for which brochures are available.

### **Hotline/Emergency Numbers for Victims of Domestic or Other Abuse:**

#### **Women and Children:**

Between Friends, 773/274-5232 and 800/603-4357 (HELP)

Korean American Women in Need, 773/583-1392; Fax: 773/583-2454

Mujeres Latinas en Accion, 312/738-5358

#### **Elderly:**

800/252-8966 (voice and TTY) 8:30 a.m. - 5 p.m. Monday - Friday

800/279-0400 after hours, weekends and holidays

#### **General Public:**

Family Rescue, 24-hour crisis line, 773/376-8400

### **Emergency Food Supply:**

Department of Human Services, 4740 N. Sheridan, Chicago, 312/744-2580  
Walk in by 3:00 p.m.

Emergency Food Coalition, 1706 W. Estes, Chicago, 773/371.1525

### **Shelter and Housing:**

People may go to the police station (6464 N. Clark) or a hospital, such as St. Francis (355 Ridge, Evanston, 847/316-4000) and the Department of Human Services (DHS) will be contacted to take them to a shelter.

New Life shelter (transitional shelter for women and children)

7634 N. Paulina, Chicago, 773/743-9673 and 10 S. Kedzie, Chicago, 773/743-3859

Methodist Youth Service, Inc., Toleda Clark, president & CEO, 312/733-8810

MYS, Inc., 6925 N. Ashland Ave., 773/761-3072 and 1737 W. Touhy, 773/743-8837

Eric Johnson, MSW, Trilogy, 773/508-6100

HOME (for seniors), 7320 N. Sheridan Rd., 773/262-3308

Lutheran Social Services of Illinois, Substance Abuse Program,  
Men's Residence North, 1640 W. Morse, Chicago, 773/338-5105

### **Food Pantries:**

Good News Church, 7667 N. Paulina, Chicago, 773/262-2297  
3rd Monday at 9:30 a.m. (fruits and vegetables)

Haitian American Community Association, 1635 W. Morse Ave., 773/764-2209  
Tues., Wed. and Fri., 10:00 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Howard Area Community Center, 7648 N. Paulina, Chicago, 773/262-6622  
Mon. and Thurs. 9-11:30 a.m.

St. Ignatius Parish, 6559 N. Glenwood, Chicago, 773/764-5936 x12  
Wed. 2:00 p.m.- 4:00 p.m.; Fri. 10:00 a.m.-noon  
Need photo ID w/ proof of residency from Devon at Pratt, and Western to the lake.

The ARK Food Pantry, 6450 N. California, Chicago, 773/973-1000  
Mon. - Thurs. 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. and Fri. 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.;  
Intake session with social worker required.

Salvation Army Uptown Corps, 1025 W. Sunnyside Ave., 773/271-6182  
Mon., Wed., Thurs., Fri., 9 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. and 1 p.m. - 4 p.m.  
Must arrive by 8 a.m. to sign up for morning session and 11:30 a.m. for afternoon

Vineyard Christian Church of Evanston, 2495 Howard St., 847/328-4544  
Wednesday 6:00 p.m.- 7:30 p.m.

### **Community Kitchens (meals):**

Good News Community Church, 7667 N. Paulina, 773/262-2297  
Sat. & Sun. 5:00 p.m.; Mon- Fri. 5:30 p.m.

United Church of Rogers Park, 1545 W. Morse, 773/761-2500  
Sun. 5:00 p.m.

All Saints Episcopal Church, 4550 N. Hermitage (at Wilson), 773/561-0111  
Tues. at 5:30 p.m.; meal followed by grocery distribution

Second Baptist Church, 1717 Benson, Evanston, 847/869.6955  
Mon. and Tues. noon - 1 p.m.

### **Health Care:**

Indian American Medical Association (IL) Charitable Foundation Free Health Clinic,  
2645 W. Peterson, Chicago, 773/275-8630; Fax 773/275-8635  
Open every Saturday and Sunday 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.

NLVS Free Health Clinic, 2645 W. Peterson Ave.; <http://www.nlvs.org>  
Open every Saturday 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Planned Parenthood, 6353 N. Broadway, 773/973-3393  
Emergency contraception, birth control, HIV/AIDS testing, cancer screening

BEHIV (Better Existence with HIV), 1740 Ridge, Evanston, 847/475-2115  
1224 W. Thorndale, 773/293.4750

### **Mental Health Services:**

Trilogy, 1400 W. Greenleaf, Chicago, 773/508-6100 Emergency Helpline: 800/322-8400

Northtown Rogers Park Mental Health Center, 1607 W. Howard, 312/744-7617

### **Narcotics Anonymous Meetings:**

*United Church of Rogers Park, 1545 W. Morse, Chicago*

Wednesday 7:00 p.m. Gallery  
Thursday 7:30 p.m. Blue Room,  
Saturday 1:00 p.m. Blue Room

**Rental Assistance (limited financial assistance):**

Howard Area Community Center, 909 W. Wilson Ave., 773/275-0866

**Tenants' Assistance (with landlord or HUD issues):**

Rogers Park Community Action Network, 1545 W. Morse, 773/973-7888;  
rpcanoffice@earthlink.net

Section 8 Tenants Council, 6928 N. Wayne, 773/338-5734

City of Chicago, call 311 (especially with problems related to safety and lack of essential services, including heat and water)

Paul Bernstein, Attorney, 866/769-2892; paulbernstein@yahoo.com

**Counseling for Potential Home Buyers:**

Lakeside Community Development Corporation (CDC), 1806 W. Greenleaf,  
773/381-5253; Fax: 773/572-3419

**Furniture:**

HOME (for seniors only), 5414B W. Roosevelt Rd., Chicago, 60644, 773/921-3200

Salvation Army Store, 5556 N. Clark, Chicago, 773/271-6182 (small fee)

**Clothing:**

The Clothing Pantry, Rogers Park Presbyterian Church, 7059 N. Greenview,  
773/262-2374; Open Tuesdays 10 a.m.- 1 p.m. and Saturdays 11 a.m. - 3 p.m.

The Thrift Shop, United Church of Rogers Park, 1545 W. Morse, 773/761-2500  
Open Tuesdays, Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.

**Employment Assistance:**

Goldie's Place, 6230 N. Clark, Chicago, 773/274-1212; Fax: 773/274-1270  
Helps the homeless to find employment.

Howard Area Community Center, 1623 W. Howard, 773/262-3515  
Jewish Vocational Service, 2020 W. Devon Ave. (Helen Davis), 773/761-9000

Workforce, 4740 N. Sheridan Rd., 773/334-4747

Unemployment Office for Rogers Park, 1572 Maple, Evanston, 847/864-3530

**Women's and Children's Services:**

Between Friends, Rogers Park, 773/274-5232 and 800/603-4357

For women and children who are victims of domestic violence; located in Rogers Park but address unpublished for residents' protection.

Deborah's Place, 2822 W. Jackson, Chicago, 773/722-5080; Fax: 773/722-5081  
Permanent housing with intake required.

Dolores' Safe Haven, 1532 N. Sedgwick, Chicago, 312/944-8810; Fax: 773/944-2471  
Temporary shelter.

Korean American Women in Need, 773/ phone: 773/583-1392; Fax: 773/583-2454  
Serving victims of domestic violence in the Korean American community.

Mujeres Latinas en Accion, 2124 W. 21st. Pl., 773/890-7676; Fax: 773/890-7650  
Helps Latinas take control of their lives.

**Daycare:**

Mary Crane Learning Center, 1545 W. Morse, 773/262-1390

Howard Area Community Center, 7648 N. Paulina, 773/262-4309

Christopher House, Rogers Park Presbyterian Church, 7059 N. Greenview, 773/274-5477

**State-Supported Senior Services:**

*Elder Abuse and Neglect Program\**

*Community Care Program for Older Adults\**

*Volunteer Money Management Program\**

Illinois Department on Aging, 421 E. Capitol Avenue, #100, Springfield 72601-1789;

800/252-8966 (voice and TTY) 8:30 a.m. - 5 p.m. Monday - Friday

800/279-0400 after hours, weekends and holidays

Fax: 217.785.4477; [www.state.il.us/aging](http://www.state.il.us/aging)

**Chicago Senior Centers:**

*Arts & Crafts, Fitness & Exercise; Computer, Driving & Sewing Classes; Parties\**

Northeast (Levy) Center, 2019 W. Lawrence Ave., 312/744-0784, 744-0320 (TTY)

Council for Jewish Elderly, 3003 W. Touhy, 773/508-1000

Nursing, rehab and at-home care; social programs, support centers

Hanul Family Alliance, 5008 N. Kedzie Avenue, 773/478-8851; Fax: 773/439-5197\*

Chicago Department on Aging, City Hall, 121 N. LaSalle St., #100

312/744-4016, 744-6777 (TTY)

**Suburban Senior Services:**

*Social and Direct Services; Senior Activity Center\**

The Catholic Charities, 15300 S. Lexington, Harvey 60426; 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Call: 708/596-2222; Fax: 708/596-9567

Age Options, 7222 W. Cermak Rd., Suite 200, North Riverside

Call: 800/699-9043; Fax: 708/524-1653

**Senior Care:**

Partners in Senior Care, Inc., 125 Hawley St., Grayslake\*

Call: 847/548-1330; Fax: 847/548-1374

[www.partnersinseniorcare.com](http://www.partnersinseniorcare.com)

Home Instead, 4619 N. Ravenswood, Ste. 200, Chicago, 773/784-4024;\*

Fax: 773/334-9867

[www.homeinstead.com](http://www.homeinstead.com)

**Hospice Care:**

Rainbow Hospice, 444 N. Northwest Hwy., Suite 145, Park Ridge

Call: 847/685-9900; Fax: 847/685

St. Joseph Hospital, 2900 N. Lake Shore Drive, Manor Bldg., Chicago

Call: 773/237-5950; Fax: 773/348-2493

Horizon Hospice, 833 W. Chicago Ave., #3, 312/733-8900; call 866/733-6028 to determine eligibility

**Youth Services:**

*Howard Area Community Center, 7648 N. Paulina*

+Youth Program, 773/381-3652, Academic assistance and computer technology access for grades 3 - 12 and ages 10 - 18;

++Alternative High School, 773/381-0366, for ages 16-20

RogersParkYES, 1409 W. Morse, Elizabeth Mhangami, 312/404-2799

8 hours job readiness training for ages 16 - 21 and assistance finding summer (or longer-term) employment.

Virginia Frank Child Development Center, 3033 W. Touhy, 773/761-4550

Preventive and therapeutic services for families with small children

Rogers Park Youth Network, 1530 W. Morse, 773/338-7722 x23

Youth Intervention Program, 1530 W. Morse, 773/338-7722 x13

Kaleidoscope, 312/827-2453; Fax: 312/8827-2454

Teen dating violence prevention program.

**Immigration Assistance:**

Jewish Family and Community Services, 216 W. Jackson, Ste. 700, 312/357-4666

Catholic Legal Immigration Network, Inc., c/o Catholic Charities, 126 N. Desplaines, 312/427-7078

**Sustainability/Organic Gardening:**

Rogers Park NeighborFood Council, Katy Hogan, 773/465-8005, and Sr. Sue Kilduski, 773/764-2413

Education, relationship-building, sustainable practice and equitable access.

Faith in Place, 2532 W. Warren Blvd., Chicago, 312/733-4640; Fax: 312/733-4610

Helping congregations work in harmony as good stewards of the Earth.

Greencorps Chicago, 445 N. Sacramento Blvd., Chicago, 312/744-8691

Promotes environmental stewardship and maintains community gardening programs.

"Clean & Green", City of Chicago, call 311 to register or for more info

Neighborhood cleanup and graffiti coverup.

**Fair Trade/Interfaith Programs:**

Nicaragua Solidarity Committee of Chicago, Tom Baker, 773/973-6529

Fair Trade/Equal Exchange (coffee, tea, chocolate) locally to help support

Nicaragua and other Central American countries in lobbying, education and workshops.

Equal Exchange (coffee, tea, chocolate), 50 United Drive, West Bridgewater, MA

774/776-7366; interfaith@equalexchange.com; www.equalexchange.com/interfaith

**Local Government:**

City of Chicago: dial 311

49th Ward Alderman - Joe Moore, 7356 N. Greenview, 773/338-5796

50th Ward Alderman - Bernard Stone, 6199 N. Lincoln Ave., 773/764-5050

40th Ward Alderman - Patrick O'Connor, 5850 N. Lincoln Ave., 773/769-1140